

**PROCESS FOR MANUFACTURING A MAT,  
AND PRODUCTS OBTAINED**

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ABSTRACT

The present invention relates to a process for manufacturing a mat whereby at least one first layer or series of layers of strand(s) formed of filaments and at least one second layer or series of layers of strand(s) formed of filaments are deposited on at least one moving conveyor, characterized in that at least some of the strand(s) of the first layer or series of layers are opened before the first layer or series of layers and the second layer or series of layers are superposed.

The present invention also relates to a device for implementing the process and to the mats obtained.

Figure 1.